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The author himself is a lawyer, teacher, author and editor of keen penetration and originality, and has written a number of works upon kindred topics. It is not too much to say that the choice of this work could not be improved upon.

The series as outlined is an important contribution to the accessible authorities upon the various phases of criminology, and if the later works come up to the high standard of excellence displayed in the first two volumes, this will remain for some time as the leading collection of treatises upon this subject in the States.

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Trusts and Trustees. By Jarius Ware Perry. Sixth Edition. Edited by Edwin A. Howes, Jr. Little, Brown and Company, Boston. (1911). Two Volumes, pp. clxxxv. 1642.

The sixth edition of this well known treatise on the law of Trusts and Trustees should be well received by the Legal Profession. As long as our courts continue to turn out such a large number of decisions on the different branches of the law, no text book can long remain a standard authority without being frequently revised. Mr. Howes has recognized this need and has succeeded in making this edition of Perry on Trusts a thoroughly modern treatise. In preparing this revision the editor has recognized the necessity of retaining those features which made Perry on Trusts such a popular authority.

The editor has found it advisable to make but few changes or additions to the text, leaving it practically as written by the learned author. Where changes have been introduced, they have been enclosed by brackets so as to be readily distinguishable from the original text.

The book contains two sets of notes. One is distinguished by numbers and contains cases cited in support of the text. The other is referred to by letters, and is used to supplement the text where it has become inadequate because of the development of the law. These notes are well written and are most helpful in explaining the law of the last decade. Mr. Howes has been very thorough in the preparation of this revision and the selection of the cases which he has added to the citations has been apt and careful.

A very full and complete index adds much to the value of the work as a legal reference. This feature should appeal especially to the busy lawyer who wishes to find a point quickly and at the same time be assured that he has found an authoritative statement of the law.

A special feature of excellence in this work, unlike so many revisions, is that it is easy to distinguish what the author has written from what the editor and reviser of the edition has added. This treatise will continue to be one of the leading authorities on the law of Trusts and Trustees and this edition should be found in the library of every progressive lawyer.

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